

2020-2021 REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY



J. A. Cuddy School

ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

J. A. Cuddy is a Kindergarten to Grade 8 school with 174 students, 23 staff including 13 Teachers, 5 Educational Assistants, 1 Secretary, 1 Librarian, and 3 custodians.

The staff at J.A. Cuddy provide a safe and caring environment for students to grow and develop. J. A. Cuddy has a strong support staff including resource teacher, guidance counselor, reading recovery teacher, and a speech and language instructor. Our support team works with the divisional team which includes a psychologist, speech-language pathologist, occupational therapist, and social worker.

J. A. Cuddy School sets high expectations and consistently performs beyond divisional & provincial benchmarks in academics, athletics and the arts.

Red River Valley School Division Mission Statement

The Red River Valley School Division, with the support of families and communities, strives to provide a learning environment that will allow our student the opportunity to achieve to their highest potential in a global environment.

Red River Valley School Division Vision Statement

THAT EACH OF US WILL BE LIFE LONG LEARNERS

School Mission

J.A. Cuddy School is a caring community of learners who inspire and encourage each other to reach for excellence.

Vision Statement

Students will leave J. A. Cuddy School as well rounded compassionate and caring individuals who have a sense of belonging in the world. They will be critical and creative thinkers who are dedicated to improving our local and global community.

2019-2020 School Priorities

Numeracy

By June 2020, 80% of students will be at or above grade level in Numeracy performance.

March Report Card data illustrated that over 80% of students at J. A. Cuddy School performed at or above expected grade level in Numeracy. June report card data was not used due to the suspension of classes and remote learning.

Literacy

By June 2020, 80% of students will be at or above grade level in reading and writing.

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Citizenship

Students and staff will participate in mental health education. The school provided a variety of opportunities to educate students on mental health. During the suspension of classes online tools were promoted with families to assist with additional stress and anxiety.

Staff and Students will focus on Digital Citizenship.

The school adopted Common Sense Media's "Digital Citizenship

Curriculum", continued use of this curriculum will be used in subsequent

years.

Academics

• J. A. Cuddy School prides itself on setting high expectations for its staff and students. The students consistently perform beyond divisional & provincial benchmarks in numeracy and literacy.

Arts

• J. A. Cuddy School has a celebrated Arts curriculum. Highlights include the K-4 Music Program, Grade 5 Guitar Program, Grade 6-8 Band Program, Choral Program and the K-8 Visual Arts Program.

Athletics

- J. A. Cuddy fielded teams in all the divisional sports.
- The school intramural program continued to expose students to a variety of physical activities.

In the new year continued enhancing of numeracy, literacy and citizenship learning will remain a school focus.

Numeracy

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Literacy

By June 2021, 85% of students will be at or above grade level in reading and writing.

Mental Health and Well Being

The School will focus on supporting students and staff anxiety levels in regards to changes in the learning environment due to COVID-19.